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MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY

PUBLIC NOTICES

IMPORT TRADE CONTROL

New Delhi the 28th August 1957

SUBJECT—*Import of Fruits all sorts excluding coconuts, fresh, dried, salted or preserved, nuts and excluding Dates [S No 21 (a)/IV] and Asafoetida (S No 31/V) from Afghanistan.*

No. 56-ITC(PN)/57—Attention of the importers is invited to para. 4 of Ministry of Commerce and Industry's Public Notice No 47-ITC(PN)/57, dated 8th July 1957 in which the last date for application for registration with the licensing authorities was prescribed as 26th July, 1957.

(2) On a representation from the trade, it has been decided that this date be extended further to 16th September, 1957

SUBJECT—*Licensing of Artsilk yarn, Artsilk fabrics, etc., under the Export Promotion Scheme during July-September, 1957*

No. 57-ITC(PN)/57.—Attention of the registered exporters is invited to the broad features of the Export Promotion Scheme as outlined in Appendix VI to the import policy pamphlet for the current quarter July-September, 1957

2 With a view to stimulate exports of Indian artsilk fabrics, it has been decided to grant import licences at the ports under the Export Promotion Scheme for the import of permissible varieties of artsilk yarn to actual exporters upto the following percentage of the rupee equivalent of foreign exchange earned on the basis of the f.o.b. value of the artsilk goods exported —

- (i) 66⅔% in the case of Indian artsilk sarees, and
- (ii) 100% in the case of other Indian artsilk fabrics including Indian artsilk hosiery goods

These licences will be subject to the following conditions —

- (a) 10% of the face value of these licences may be utilised for import of permissible spare parts of machinery for the manufacture of artsilk cloth

(b) The licencees may be permitted to import artsilk fabrics upto 15% of the face value of these licencees.

3. Licencees will normally be granted on the basis of actual exports effected on or after 1st January, 1957. In cases where licencees under the Export Promotion Scheme have already been obtained against such exports, the applicants would be entitled to apply for a licence representing the difference between the value entitlement in accordance with this Public Notice and that obtained earlier. Artsilk Mills may, however, be given such licencees in anticipation of exports, subject to their furnishing a bond acceptable to the licensing authorities.

4. Applications together with acceptable documentary evidence in support of past imports should be made to the licensing authorities at the ports as early as possible.

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